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PETATION FO	R EXPLISION OF TIME	Docket No.:	BAL6019P0021US	
Serial No.:	09/488,296	Filing Date:	1/20/00	MEGEN
Group Art Unit:	1661	Examiner:	Susan B. McCormick	SEP 15 2013
Applicant(s):	Trees et al.			
Invention:	Altered Flower Pattern and Color	in New Guinea Ir	mpatiens	MICENTER 1600-2900

Commissioner For Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of 3/13/03 in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached Response timely.

Extension Fee For Response Within:		First Month		Seco	Second Month		Third Month		Fourth Month		
Large Entity: Small Entity:			\$110.00		\$410.00	⊠	\$930.00		\$1,450.00		
			\$55.00		\$205.00		\$465.00		\$725.00		
⊠ □	A check in the amount of <u>930.00</u> to cover the extension fee is enclosed. Charge \$ to Deposit Account No. 23-0785.										
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Respectfully submitted,

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CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

I hereby certify that this document and fee (if applicable) is being deposited with sufficient postage as First Class Mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450 on 9/12/03.

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